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In re Application of
Paul Michael O'Connor
Application No. 09/462,928
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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 19, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed April 10, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on July 11, 2003.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-8859.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center Art Unit 2177.

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